January 21, 2013

Ms. Jeanine Townsend Clerk to the Board State Water Resources Control Board 1001 I Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Report of ex parte communication

Dear Ms. Townsend,

This letter is to inform you of an ex parte communication that occurred at noon on January 14, 2013 with Board member Felicia Marcus at the Grange Restaurant in Sacramento. This was an oral communication between Ms. Marcus, Mr. Jerry Secundy, President of the California Council for Environmental and Economic Balance (CCEEB) and myself on behalf of CCEEB that in part related to the draft General Order known a the Phase II Small MS4 General Permit.

This communication was initiated by myself on behalf of CCEEB. The primary topic of the communication was a briefing of Ms. Marcus on the status of the work of the CCEEB Water Quality Task Force relating to improving water quality outcomes. However, we did discuss some aspects of the draft MS4 General Permit. Our discussion of provisions of the draft MS4 General Permit covered the topics included the attached CCEEB December 17, 2012 comment letter to the Board. There were no handouts or other materials distributed at the meeting.

Thank you for processing this information.

Sincerely

Robert W. Lucas

Owner, Lucas Advocates

cc: Ms Felicia Marcus Mr. Jerry Secundy

Attachment